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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE BOARD OF NURSING

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| IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION | : |                       |
| OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF | : | Administrative Action |
|                                 | : |                       |
| Lisa A. Fudali, RN              | : | ORDER OF SUSPENSION   |
| License #26NR14242400           | : | OF LICENSE            |
|                                 | : |                       |
| TO PRACTICE NURSING IN          | : |                       |
| THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY         | : |                       |
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of information indicating the following:

1. Lisa A. Fudali ("Respondent") is a Registered Professional Nurse (RN) in the State of New Jersey and has been a licensee at all relevant times. (Exhibit A).

2. Respondent entered into a private letter agreement ("PLA") with the Board on or about August 6, 2015. The

agreement required, in part, that Respondent enroll in and comply with the Board's designated intervention program, the Recovery and Monitoring Program ("RAMP"), to undergo evaluation, monitoring, and treatment, including random screens. The agreement, which was to remain private and confidential unless and until the Board received reliable information that Respondent had violated any term, was to have the force and effect of a Board Order within the intendment of N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.4. (Exhibit B).

3. RAMP personnel conducted an in-take interview with Respondent on September 8, 2015 during which time Respondent refused to participate with RAMP. Respondent failed to enroll in, or participate with, RAMP. (Exhibit C).

4. RAMP cannot assure the Board or the public that Respondent is safe to practice. (Exhibit C).

5. On November 17, 2015, a communication was sent to Respondent at her address of record by overnight and regular mail, advising Respondent that the Board had received information indicating that she was not in compliance with the private letter agreement, and with her agreement with RAMP. Respondent was further advised to provide the Board with proof of any inaccuracy in that information within two weeks. (Exhibit

D). No response was received.

6. The private letter agreement signed by Respondent provided for automatic suspension of Respondent's nursing license upon receipt of reliable information indicating that Respondent had violated any term of the private letter agreement. The agreement states that Respondent may, upon notice to the Board, request a hearing to contest the automatic suspension; however, at any such hearing, the sole issue shall be whether any of the information received regarding Respondent's violation of the agreement was materially false. The Board also reserved the right to bring further disciplinary action. (Exhibit B).

7. Respondent violated the private letter agreement by failing to enroll in RAMP or begin participation with the program. Each violation of the private letter agreement constitutes a violation of N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.4, subjecting Respondent to sanctions pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e), and automatic suspension of her license as provided in the private letter agreement.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2015,  
HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Respondent's license to practice nursing in the State

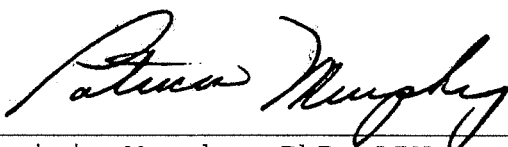
of New Jersey is hereby suspended for her violation of the terms of the private letter agreement as set forth above, which is a violation of a Board Order within the intendment of N.J.A.C. 13:45C-1.4 and N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e).

2. Respondent may, under the terms of the private letter agreement, request a hearing, upon notice, on the sole issue of whether information received that Respondent has failed to comply with the terms of the private letter agreement was materially false.

3. In the event that Respondent seeks reinstatement of her New Jersey nursing license at any future time, the Board shall not entertain any application for reinstatement without a demonstration by Respondent that she is fit and competent to practice, in full compliance with the terms and conditions of the private letter agreement, and with any agreement with RAMP, and that RAMP supports her reinstatement.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:

  
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Board President